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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED OCTOBER 11, 2006**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 11, 2006 (the "Office Action"), the following are submitted:

- **Amendments to the Claims**, which are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks/Arguments**, which begin on page 5 of this paper.